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MARYLAND STATE BEATEN BY V. P. I.

**Virginians Take Foot Ball
Game on Muddy Field
by 6 to 0.**

FORWARD PASSES COUNT

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Maryland State's foot ball team lost its chance for a bid for south Atlantic honors yesterday when it went down before Virginia Polytechnic Institute by 6 to 0. The two teams

visitors on the 1-yard line of the Maryland eleven. The ball was put across for the touchdown on the second play after the beginning of the fourth period.

State had rushed the ball from its own 25-yard mark to Virginia Poly's 40-yard line, when a forward pass

of the ball. He was outkicked by both K. Oide and Groves, the last mentioned pair doing the booting of the Marylanders. The Marylanders' only contribution was the one individual star who made it in that he got everything out of his head. He was a Marylander, in fact, it was Lancaster who practically won the contest, as it was his kicking that kept the Marylanders out of the fire on several occasions.

P. L. I can thank Lancaster for its victory.

Maryland State opened the game by kicking off to H. Gardwick, the V. F. C. captain, who was a very good player from the tee. That gave the Virginians an advantage from the start, but the Marylanders were not to be out of the field. They were unable to gain and punted. The ball seeped up under the feet of the Virginians and the lines for about ten minutes, after which V. F. I got away with a successful kick. The Marylanders were unable to gain on V. F. C.'s 9-yard line. The Blacksburg team was unable to gain, though, and the Marylanders kicked out of the field.

V. P. I. got the ball as a result of a blocked kick and had only 15 yards to go for a touchdown. However, State's brace line gradually worked the ball out of danger and had the oval in its possession in V. P. I.'s territory when the whistle blew ending the half.

V. P. I. Kicks Off to State.

V. P. I. kicked off in the second period and Mackert returned the ball to the 10 yard line. State again worked the ball out of danger and in this period with place kick net-

ted ground, but long runs usually were followed by a poor choice of plays and a consequent turning over of the ball to the opposing eleven.

Barry rank and file, led by the Maryland team. Despite the heavy footing, he returned nearly every punt for from 10 to 20 yards. However, the Maryland interference did not consistently pick off opposing men. The line did not block near so well as the Maryland team, especially considering the condition of the field, the game really was better than could have been expected. There was hardly a spot on the field where a runner could get a start. The game of the

carious. Despite such conditions there were forward passes galore, and the accuracy with which the muddy ball,

Virginians, shot the ball with deadly accuracy, on the 10-yard line. He occurred the waiting arms of one of his teammates. It was Lancaster's accuracy in making this play that clinched the winning touchdown.

Spectacular Plays Made.

Several spectacular plays resulted, despite the poor footing. One of P. I. made again. This time, however, the man was hit and practically thrown without gain, but got to his feet and ran thirty yards to State's 9-yard line. Again he was hit, but P. I. came back, intercepted a State forward pass in his own territory and ran with the ball to State's 20-yard line before he was tackled. A few minutes later, after receiving a punt and on a better field might have made a touchdown. Knode scored twenty-five yards and a touchdown on a pass from P. I. until he had only one man between him and the last chalk mark.

But what came near being the most spectacular play of the game was made by Maryland in the last two minutes of the final quarter. A long forward pass from the 10-yard line to P. I. quarterback's head and two State men were waiting behind the goal line for the ball. As the oval dropped into the hands of the quarterback and bounded back into the field of play instead of resulting in a possible touchdown.

Maryland's line played superbly on defense, though the ends were not quite so effective as usual. Just how well the college Park fans were prepared to defend themselves is shown by the fact that not once were the visitors

able to gain a first down by rushing the ball. However, their blocking was below par and general offensive play not up to standard.

V. P. I. and State have met on the gridiron.	
Line-up and summary:	
V. P. I.	Position. Maryland State.
J. Hardwick	Left end
Worce	Left guard
H. Hardwick	Center
Stuart	Right guard
Crane	Right tackle
Grubbs	Right end
Launcaster	Quarterback
McDonn	Right halfback
Bodd	Fullback
Score by period.	
V. P. I.	0 0 0 0 8
State	0 0 0 0 0
Touchdown—Bodley, 10 yards.	
Missed, Crap, Referee, Mori, Moore, Garlock.	
Tech. Emphs—Mr. Magdum, Michigan. Head	
Stunt—Mr. Bodd, 10 yards.	
Substitutions: V. P. I.—Wilson for Armstrong,	
Grubbs for Stuart, Garlock for McDonn,	
Kerns for McCann, State—Moore for Edal,	
Bodley for Myers, Bodd for Bodley,	
Bodley for Bodley, Gilbert for Bodley, Magdum	
for MacDonald. Time of period—15 minutes.	

NEW YORK, October 25.—Willie Hoppe defeated Jake Schaefer in the final match tonight of the professional 18.2 balk line national championship billiard tournament by a score of 400 to 314. This left Hoppe with a perfect record for the tournament with six victories and no defeats. His grand average for all the games was 47.4.